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MINISTRY OF COMMERCE

PUBLIC NOTICES

IMPORT TRADE CONTROL

New Delhi, the 9th February 1966

SUBJECT.—*Import policy for Textile machinery and apparatus etc., for the period April 1965—March 1966.*

No. 26-ITC(PN)/66.—Attention is invited to the Ministry of Commerce Public Notice No. 10-ITC(PN)/66, dated the 15th January, 1966 indicating import policy for (i) draw frames for cotton textiles, (ii) speed frames for cotton textiles; and (iii) worsted spindles or worsted spinning frames for spinning worsted woollen yarn.

2. On a review of the position and in partial modification of the policy indicated in the said Public Notice, it has been decided that, in respect of import licences for Draw Frames for cotton textiles and speed Frames for cotton Textiles, the following amendments may be deemed to have been made in Public Notice No. 10 TTC(PN)/66, dated 15th January, 1966:—

- (i) The policy announced in the said Public Notice will not apply to imports against licences for these items issued before the 15th January, 1966.

(ii) In respect of licences for these items issued on or after 15th January, 1966, the existing clauses (a) to (e) in para 2 of the said Public Notice may be deemed to have been substituted by the following clauses:—

- (a) Licences for the import of above mentioned machinery to any category of importers will be issued subject to the condition that the licensees shall also purchase these machines from indigenous manufacturers equal in number to that recommended by the Textile Commissioner, Bombay for import. Applicants who have applied for import licences for these items of machinery should therefore place firm orders with the indigenous manufacturers for the purchase of one indigenous machine against one of such machine recommended for import. They should furnish to the Textile Commissioner, Bombay a copy of the order placed by them accompanied by the deposit receipt for 10 per cent of the price of the indigenous machines together with irrevocable letter of credit or bank guarantee in favour of the indigenous manufacturer for 10 per cent of the price of the indigenous machines. On production of these documents the Textile Commissioner will issue a certificate that these steps have been taken by the applicant. The applicant should furnish the said certificate to the licensing authority concerned. The applications for licences will be considered by the licensing authority only on receipt of such certificate.
- (b) The breach of any condition of the import licence including the condition to purchase indigenous machinery in the manner referred to at (a) above will make the imported machinery liable to confiscation under the Customs Act 1962 without prejudice to any other action that may be taken against the licensee under any law, rule, order or regulation.
- (c) The policy and the conditions mentioned at (a) and (b) above will apply to all import licences issued for the above mentioned items of machinery whether for replacement purposes or for new/expansion units.
- (d) In future, no applications for import of the above mentioned items of machinery will be considered from any category of importers.

3. The policy announced in Public Notice No. 10-ITC(PN)/66, dated 15th January, 1966, will continue to apply in respect of licences for import of 'worsted' spindles or worsted spinning frames for woollen yarn'.

SUBJECT.—Export Promotion Scheme for export of Pearls, precious stones, Diamonds and Imitation Jewellery—Import of Carborundum Powder under.

No. 28-ITC(PN)/66.—Attention of the trade is invited to the remarks appearing against the items at S. Nos. 10, 11, 12 & 15 of Annexure II to Appendix 23 of the current period I.T.C. Policy Book according to which the import of chemicals and abrasives is permitted up to specified percentages against the export of Pearls, Precious/Semi-precious stones, Diamonds and Imitation Jewellery.

2. It has been decided to delete the provision for the import of Carborundum Powder against the 10% entitlement for machinery, tools, etc., referred to in Public Notice No. 107-ITC(PN)/63, dated the 20th August 1963. Carborundum Powder would, however, be allowed for import within the prescribed entitlement for chemicals and abrasives as indicated in the remarks column (column No. 7) against the items at S. Nos. 10, 11, 12 & 15 of Annexure II to Appendix 23.

3. In the case of import licences already issued under the Special Export Promotion Scheme it shall be deemed that they have been amended by virtue of this Public Notice. All such licensees are advised not to enter into any commitment for import of Carborundum Powder against the 10% entitlement for machinery and tools etc. Any licensee having any grievance on this account should file his representation with the concerned licensing authority within 15 days of this Public Notice.

SUBJECT.—Import policy for paper items for the period April 1965—March 1966.

No. 29-ITC(PN)/66.—Attention is invited to the policy for import of paper items as given in the Import Trade Control Policy Book for the period April '65—March '66.

2. On a review of the position, it has been decided not to permit import of paper of any type and kind to any category of importers including Actual Users, Established Importers and those under the Export Promotion Schemes except the types of paper listed in the annexure to this Public Notice.

3. The import policy for paper items as given in the Red Book for the current period may be deemed to have been amended accordingly.

ANNEXURE

List of permissible paper items for which import applications will be considered

1. Currency paper, stamp paper and other special types of papers for security printing (only for the Government of India).

2. Newsprint and Glazed Mechanical Printing paper;

3. Art and Chromo-paper.

4. High strength and special grade kraft paper (e.g., sack kraft paper, electrical grade kraft).

5. Greaseproof, glassine, glazed imitation parchment and Vegetable parchment papers.

6. Tabulating Manilla paper.

7. Specialised Tissues (e.g. Carbonising Tissues, Ektoline Tissues for stencil, Facial and Toilet Tissues, Cellulose Wadding, Coloured and Pectoral Cigarette tissues).

8. Base paper for waxing and coating and photo and sensitizing base.

9. Electrical insulation papers and boards (e.g. cable paper, condenser paper, presspahn, fish paper, leatheroid).

10. Vulcanized fibre sheets for electrical insulation, rail joining and abrasives.

11. Stereo flongs and Matrix board.

12. Wood free glazed boards for waxing and laminating purposes.

13. Abrasive body paper.

14. Bible paper and featherweight paper.

15. Filter paper.

16. Chart paper.

17. Indicator paper.

18. V. P. I. paper.

SUBJECT.—*Import policy for Chicory falling under S. No. 79(v)/IV for the period April, '65—March, '66.*

No. 30-ITC(PN)/66.—Attention is invited to the import policy for Chicory against S. No. 79(v)/IV, in Section II, of the Import Trade Control Policy Book for the year April, '65—March, '66 according to which Chicory powder is licensable to French Coffee exporters to the extent of 15% of their past exports of French Coffee.

2. On a review of the position, it has been decided not to allow the import of chicory of any type including Chicory powder to any category of importers including those applying against past exports of French Coffee. The import policy for Chicory as given against S. No. 79(v)/IV, in Section II of the Import Trade Control Policy Book for the current period may, therefore, be deemed to have been amended accordingly.

3. In order to help development of chicory cultivation in the country, however, import licences for chicory seeds will be issued by the licensing authorities at ports to planters and others on liberal basis on the recommendations of the State Directors of Agriculture in terms of remark (vi) against S. No. 37/IV in Appendix 4 to the Import Trade Control Policy Book (Red Book) for the current period.

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